

**Fairmount City Council
Council Meeting
October 5, 2020
7:00 p.m.**

Council Meeting Called to Order

Welcome – Mayor Brannon welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Prayer – Prayer was given by Troy Chastain.

Pledge of Allegiance – The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Councilman Billy Mauldin.

Official Roll Call

Steve Brannon – Mayor - Present

Steve Fain – Post 1 - Absent

Junior Holsomback – Post 2 - Present

Jerry Mauldin – Post 3 - Present

Billy Mauldin – Post 4 - Present

Petrina Pritchett – City Clerk – Present

Approval of Minutes

August and September minutes will be updated and approved at the next meeting.

Announcements:

- Award Ceremony – Police Officer Mike Taylor was awarded the Medal of Valor. Investigator Billy Brackett was given an award for Meritorious Service.
- C.A.R.E. (Covid-19 Aid, Relief, Economics Security) grant update.

New Business

- **Final reading of Ordinance for “Broadband ready Community”**
Councilman Jerry Mauldin made a motion to approve the broadband ready community ordinance. Motion seconded by Councilman Holsomback. All in favor.
- **Local Maintenance & Improvement Grant (LMIG) for 2021. (Street Paving)**
Mayor & Council discussed which roads could be paved using the 2021 LMIG.
- **Set Work session for November 2020 to work on 2021 budget.**
The work session for the 2021 budget will be at 6:30 at next meeting.
- **Discussion. New policy on delinquent water bills? Water Rates, and Inside City vs Outside City Rates. Agricultural-Chicken House Rates. Backflow test fees for Chicken Farms and all future backflow preventers.**
Mayor told Council to be thinking about these things and what they want to do so they can discuss at the next meeting.

Citizen Comments

Adjourn

Councilman Junior Holsomback made a motion to adjourn the council meeting. Motion seconded by Councilman Jerry Mauldin. All in favor.

Steve Brannon, Mayor

Petrina Pritchett, City Clerk

Date: _____